(d) and (e) For effective implementation of the scheme the following methods are used:—

1. Performance Review Committee, headed by Secretary, Rural Development, Government of India at the Central Level.
2. Area Officer's Programme.
3. Field Inspection.
4. Vigilance Committees at the State, District and Block level.
5. Social Audit.
6. Monthly & Annual Reports.
7. Evaluation Studies.

(f) to (h) No specific case of misutilisation has come to the notice of the Ministry. However, whenever a general complaint is received, the same is sent to the concerned State Government for thorough investigation and taking appropriate action.

Funds granted for rural water supply schemes in Assam

729. SHRIMATI BASANTI SARMA: Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the details of funds granted by Government to Assam for the rural water supply schemes during the last three years;

(b) whether the funds allocated and released to Assam are adequate to meet its requirements; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor and the action taken in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ANNASAHEB M.K. PATIL): (a) to (c) Rural Water Supply being a State subject, the schemes for providing drinking water supply in rural areas are implemented by the State Governments. The Government of India supplements the efforts of the States by providing funds under the Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme (ARWSP) and the Drinking Water Supply component of the Prime Minister's Gramodaya Yojana (PMGY). The details of funds allocated and released to the State of Assam under ARWSP and PMGY during the last three years are as under:

Rs. in crore

Year	Allocation	ARWSP Release	Allocation	PMGY* Release
1999-00	41.80	20.90	—	—
2000-01	73.72	54.59	33.01	13.46
2001-02	75.61	53.57	30.51	15.25

*PMGY was introduced in 2000-01

The Government of Assam has not availed of the full amount of funds allocated to them due to non-compliance of various conditions prescribed for the purpose.

Employment provided under SJSY in Punjab

†730. SHRIMATI GURCHARAN KAUR: Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the district-wise details of the number of persons provided employment till date in Punjab under the Swarna Jayanti Swarozgar Yojana;

(b) whether it has been provided in the scheme that atleast one person from a family to be provided employment under the scheme, if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the steps taken to make the scheme more beneficial and effective?

THE MINISTER OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. VENKAIAH NAIDU): (a) The district-wise details of number of persons provided employment, since inception of the Scheme *i.e.* 1.4.1999, till date, in regard to, Punjab is at Statement (*See* below).

(b) No. Sir. As per Para 3.4 (ii) of the Swarnjayanti Gram Swarozgar Yojana (SGSY) Guidelines, all members of the Self Help Group (SHG) should belong to families below poverty line. The group shall not consist of more than one member from the same family and a person should not be a member of more than one group.

(c) The steps taken by the Ministry to make the Scheme more effective, includes the following:

†Original notice of the Question was received in Hindi.